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In re application of

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IN-MOLD DECORATED MOLDED ARTICLE AND MANUFACTURING METHOD FOR IN-

MOLD DECORATED MOLDED ARTICLE :

Mail Stop: Amendment

RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to the requirement contained in the Office Action mailed December 17, 2008, applicants hereby elect invention I, claims 1-6, drawn to an in-mold decorated molded article.

In view of this election, a full examination on the merits of the present application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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